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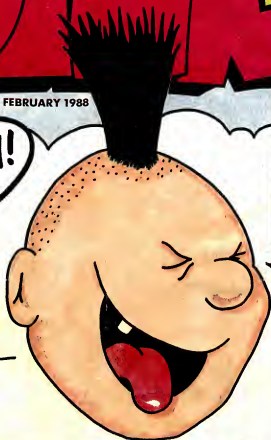
ONION

WEEKLY

No. 49

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YEE-HAH!



30P

THE COMIC THAT'S STREETS A-HEAD!

**FIND OUT WHY HARRY THE HEAD'S
IN A TIZZY — INSIDE!**

THE PAGE FOR
PIG-PALS
THAT PULLS
NO PUNCHES

OINK!, P.O. Box 35, Hyde, Cheshire, SK14 5NB, England



THE LETTERS YOU READERS SEND ARE RUDE, RIOTOUS, CHEEKY AND CRAZY! THAT'S WHY I LET MARY LIGHTHOUSE READ THEM! IT KEEPS HER IN A STATE OF SHOCK AND STOPS HER INTERFERING WITH MY GREAT COMIC! KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK, PIG-FALS!



READERS / LETTERS

CORKER OF A PORKER!

Eric Porkley [no address given], sent this pic from "Farmers' Weekly", of a sow that he reckons is better-looking than Miss World! I agree, Eric. It's the winning smell... sorry, smile... that does it!



Finally it is in the eye of the beholder. — Thomas Watson

**ENCLOSE THIS COUPON
[OR A COPY OF IT] WHEN
YOU WRITE.**

PIGGIN CHEEK!

My friend keeps saying "You're no better than that damned vile comic you read!" What should I do?
—Elizabeth Farley, Washington.

It's a compliment to be compared to the amazing OINK!, so thank your pal with a little present, like a bucket of swill... over the head! —Uncle Pigg.

My favourite features in this issue of OINK! are...

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

I dislike

DARE YOU WRITE IN? A PIGGY PRIZE FOR EVERY LETTER PRINTED!

FREE! STAMP COLLECTOR STARTER KIT

Fabulous Starter Kit (usually over \$11) is yours **ABSOLUTELY FREE** if you **POST** FREE! Contains 14 different items including: *Alpine*, *Magnifier*, *Twoezers*, *Ringers*, *Pins of Stamps*, 175 "Pledge", *Winkler*, *Mark Detector*, *Performance Gauge* and other exciting items to introduce this great hobby.

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GET YOURS NOW!

STAMP QUIZ

IS IT TRUE THAT

1. Britain issued the first stamps?
2. Britain never puts its name on its stamps?
3. Stamps without Perforations are fakes?
4. Christmas Stamps must be used to post

PRIZES: We will send you 25 choice stamps free for each correct answer. 150 different free stamps free (collegated at 7.50) plus the famous 107 year old British PENNY LEAC stamp (collegated 4.50) for 4 correct answers. Indicate number of stamps you can receive is 151! We also send our wonderful New Approvals, past time. Please inform your parents.

UNIVERSAL STAMP CO. (Dept O.S.)
Eastington, Glos. North Humberdale,
DN14 7QG.

HAVE A HEART!

From the Daily Express,
sent by Ros Sowerby of
Kent, who says "Good
news for humans, but
what about us pig-pals?"

Uncle Pigg says: "I like to think that if a few butchers were given pigs' hearts, they might think twice before giving us the chop... but then, I'm probably being a foolish, sentimental old sausage!"

Pig heart ops 'soon'

PIGS' hearts could be used for routine transplants by the end of the century, a leading doctor said yesterday.

Heart-lung transplant pioneer Mr John Wallwork, 61, who carried out Britain's first successful heart-lung transplant in 1984, said: "The number of transplants that need to be done is not going to be met by human donors."

PIG-PACK MEMBER No.

7162

WRITE TO UNCLE PIGG
TO CLAIM A PIGGY PRIZE!

The Slugs

**L.P. Sleeve Design
Competition
Winners!**

1ST PRIZE WINNER! JANE STREATHFIELD! HOORAY!

JANE
WINS A FAB
SLUGS T-SHIRT
AND A PIGGY
PRIZE!

COR, READERS! ISN'T THAT BRILL?
WELL DONE JANE STREATHFIELD OF BRISTOL! NOW ALL WE NEED ARE DECENT TUNES!
ERM...
TOO TEE...
TOO-NO
TUM TEE
TUM...



**Warning: MORE THAN 30,000 PEOPLE DIE EACH YEAR
IN THE UK FROM SLUGS' RECORDS**
Health Department's Chief Medical Officers



AND HERE'S THE TWO FAB RUNNERS UP

TOM TIFFIN FROM MANCHESTER

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G. HORTON FROM LONDON.

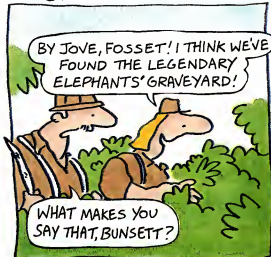
AND THEY RECEIVE A SLUGS T-SHIRT
EACH! MORE SLUGGISH NOISE SOON, KIDS!



The Secret Diary of Harry Nile - Aged 8 $\frac{5}{8}$ (years).

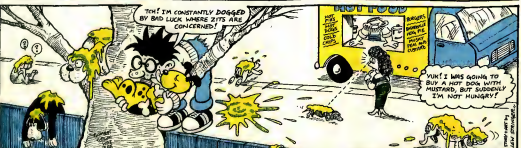
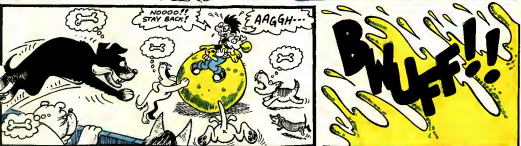
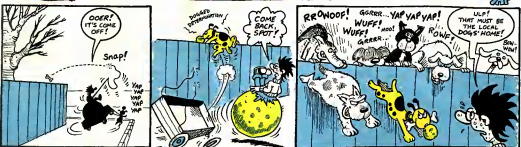


A GRAVE JOKE...



LOOK OUT! - It's the kid with the BIGGEST zit in the WORLD! Make way for...

PETE and his PIMPLE!



CAN YOU CURE Pete's Pimple? SEND YOUR IDEAS TO: PETE'S PIMPLE, 100 BIKER BLVD, CHESHIRE SK16 6UB. IF YOUR SUGGESTION IS USED, YOU'LL WIN A MYSTERY PIGGY PRIZE! WE DON'T DELIVER, SEND A ZIT CURE TODAY!

THE SUPERHERO! WHERE WOULD WE BE WITHOUT HIM? SAVING THE UNIVERSE, THWARTING SUPER-VILLAINS, MAKING THE WORLD SAFE WITH HIS AWESOME POWERS! BUT-- WHAT DOES HE DO IN HIS QUIET MOMENTS? WHY, HE'S AS NORMAL AS YOU OR I, AS CAN BE WITNESSED IN THESE SCENES FROM...

THE SUPERHERO'S DAY OFF!



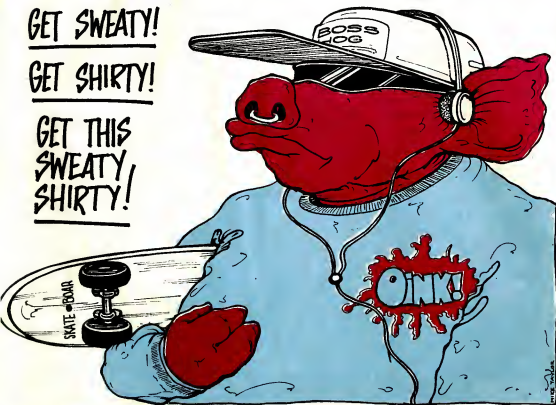
BE A HIP HOG

WITH THIS SWILL SWEAT SHIRT!

GET SWEATY!

GET SHIRTY!

GET THIS
SWEATY,
SHIRTY!



Yo! Hip Hogs! Get smart with this swine-ishly stylish sweat-shirt. Splashed in porky-pink with the 'designer' Oink! logo, this fab gear is 100% piggy perfect. It's cool for cats, dogs, hamsters and any other pets you want to buy one for! This exclusive item cannot be bought elsewhere, so raid your piggy banks and send your money along in a stamped addressed envelope to me at:

**SWEAT-SHIRT OFFER,
OINK! CLUB,
99, CHURCH STREET,
TEWKESBURY,
GLOUCESTERSHIRE,
GL20 5RS.**

* SEND
POSTAL
ORDERS IN
IF YOU WANT
EXTRA FAST
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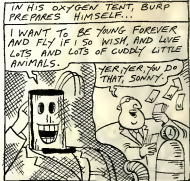
Adults: £14.99 (£13.99 for Pig Pack members)
Children: £10.99 (£9.99 for Pig Pack members)

Name _____
Address _____

Number of shirts required _____
Childrens _____ Adults _____
State chest size —
Childrens 28" or 32"
Adults 36" 40" or 44"
State if Pig Pack member (Yes or No) _____
If yes, state membership number _____
State whether cheque or postal order _____
Cheques and postal orders to be made payable to
'The Oink! Club'.
Amount enclosed _____

Uncle Pigg regrets that this offer is not available to readers in Eire and overseas.

BURP



MEANWHILE THE FATTY ALIEN DEPOSITS OF BURPS OLD UNIMPROVED BODY FESTER...

AND

IT'S A GOOD JOB I CAN AUTO-CLONE MYSELF - NOW TO GET TO THE STADIUM.

EAT INDELIBLE, ACID SWEAT-CLONED JUICE, SUPER STAR.

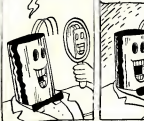


I'M SO ETERNALLY YOUNG AND BEAUTIFUL - AND WONDER MY FANS ADORE ME SO.

THAT'S QUITE ENOUGH OF THAT YOU.

UUAARGH! A DISGUSTING THING IN MY DRESSING ROOM! EEEEEK!!

AAAAARGH!!



ALTHOUGH DRAINED BY HIS HEROIC ENDEAVOURS, BURP GOES ON TO STEAL THE SHOW AS HE STANDS IN FOR HIMSELF, AS ONLY HE CAN!

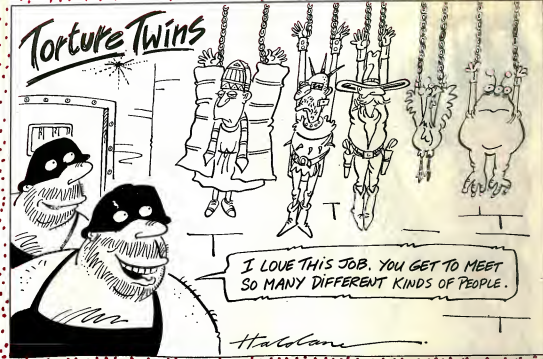
AND THE NEW, IMPROVED BURP SMELT SO BAD THAT HE WAS FORCED INTO RESIDUE IN HIS LUXURY BEVERLY HILLS HOME, AND WAS NEVER SEEN AGAIN.



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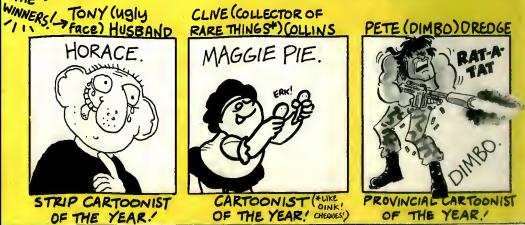


Tales from lightest Africa



INK! CARTOONISTS WIN TOP AWARDS!

IN THE 1987 AWARDS FOR CARTOONING EXCELLENCE, GIVEN RECENTLY BY THE CARTOONISTS CLUB OF GREAT BRITAIN, INK! ARTISTS CLEANED UP!



UNCLE PIGG SAYS: CONGRATULATIONS, CHAPS! NOW GET BACK TO WORK!!! (WHAT DID YOU EXPECT - A PAY RISE?)

THE HOG OF THE BASKERVILLE VILLES

CHAPTER FIVE: HOG IN A BOG!
SHERLOCK HAMS AND HIS LADY DR. WHATSWINE,
HAD DISCOVERED THAT THE HOG WAS THE
MECHANICAL CREATION OF THE MAD BUTCHER
PROFESSOR MEATYARTY.

DESTROY THEM
MY BEAUTY!

KER-
BLAM!

BUT ENOUGH TALK!
WE MUST PURSUE THE
CRIMINAL GOOSE
WHATSWINE!

IT'S BEEN SWILL
KNOWING YOU, HAMS!

WE'VE SHARED A GAMMON BOND
BETWEEN US, WHATSWINE!

...AND PERHAPS NOT!

FORTUNATELY, HAMS HAD TAKEN A JUDO GOURSE ONLY LAST
THURSDAY!

AAAGH!

SPLOSHH!

WARNING
DO NOT
ENTER

PANT! WHEEZE!

WHA?

ON THE FOG SHROUDED MOORS HAMS ISSUED A GRIM
CHALLENGE...

COME OUT, YOU BIG Sissy!
...OR ARE YOU SCARED?

EVEN VILLAINS
DESERVE SOME
COMPASSION!
QUICKLY, MAN, REACH
FOR MY TROTTER!

TOUCH THE HAND
OF A PIG
NEVER, CHOKER!
NEVER!

MISS BASKERVILLE! YOU'VE
SAVED OUR BAGON.

BUT WHO IS THAT
MAN, MR. HAMS?

PROFESSOR MEATYARTY, AN EVIL PIECE OF WORK, THAT
ONE! MY GUESS IS HE WAS AFTER THE BASKERVILLE
FORTUNE - AND CREATED THAT CLOCKWORK-KILLER TO
DEAL WITH ANYONE WHO STOOD IN HIS WAY!

SWINE! YOU'LL BE PORK CHOPS
BY THE TIME I'M THROUGH!

GRRRNTS!
PERHAPS, BUTCHER.

BAOP
SLIP
BLURP!

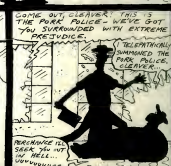
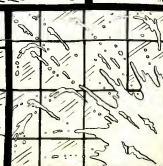
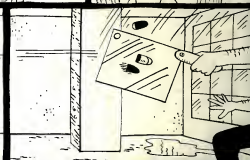
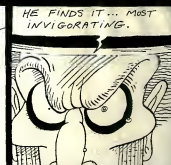
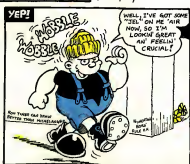
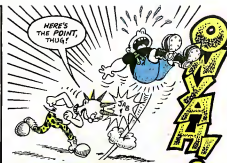
NEVER, NEV-
BLURP! BURRRR!

THE BASKERVILLE CASE IS
CLOSED THEN, HAMS.

YES, WHATSWINE. WITH
MEATYARTY IT'S FINAL
VICTIM, BECAUSE HE WAS
SO BOGGED DOWN IN HIS
OWN FIG-HEADEDNESS.

THE END

TOM THUG

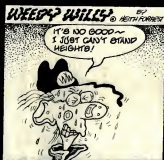
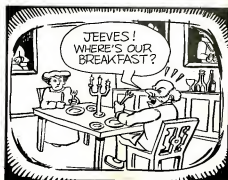


NUMBER FIVE IN A MINI-SERIES OF SIX

TO BE CONCLUDED NEXT WEEK

BANK

MEMORIES AT THE PUB...
 COR, LET'S HAVE
 A LOOK AT
 THIS...



frank of the big-shorts

remember last week... my "timperley big-shorts" team... beat little franks bobbins "timperley puppets" by 158-0, which means that my team now play in the cup final against "the baguley beasts", but... we don't have a ground yet to play it at! so read on... in this very exciting part 2 of my 2 part special in 3 of them parts

Later... in the doc's office at alty.

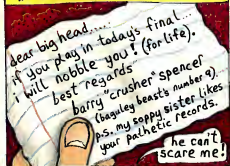


So... problem solved... up went the posters.

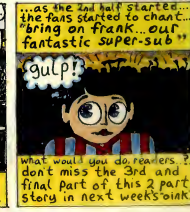


I had forgotten that it was an away game for altrincham on saturday... so the doc said we may as well play it there!

then... the morning of the match... i got this note from "baguley's" centre forward.



So... i was forced to sit and watch barry "crusher" spencer.



PATRICK BOAR'S SPACE QUIZ

Script: Charlie Brooker.

Find out just how much YOU know about our universe! Simply choose A, B, C or D and then find your rating!

- What is 'Betelgeuse'?
 A A star.
 B A planet.
 C What you get if you step on a cockroach.
 D Paul McCartney's favourite drink.



- The 'Milky Way' is -
 A A star system.
 B A collection of galaxies.
 C A chocolate bar.
 D The milkman's daily route.

- 'Spacewalking' is -
 A Not stepping on the gaps in the pavement.
 B Walking in space.
 C A new type of dance.
 D Dangerous without a helmet.

- Complete this sequence - Mercury, Venus, Earth, _____?
 A 'and Ringo'.
 B 'Mars'.
 C 'are planets'.
 D '.'

- If an alien greets you, what should you do?
 A Shake its hand.
 B Shake its hands.
 C Run away.
 D See your psychiatrist.



- Complete this famous quotation: 'It's one small step for man...'
 A 'but that's showbiz'.
 B 'one giant leap for mankind'.
 C 'but i still don't think that dogs should be allowed to foul the pavement'.
 D 'especially in these shoes.'

YOUR SCORE:

- A5, B3, C1, D7s 2. A5, B4s, C0, D8.
- A0, B10, C3, D0 4. A0, B5, C25, D45.
- A0, B0, C0, D0 6. A1, B15, C0, D20.

RATING:

- It is impossible to get 0 in this quiz. Learn to add up, thicko.
- 1 - 25: You know very little about space. This is surprising since you have it between your ears.
- 26 - 80: You are almost as clever as science presenter James Berk. Never mindray not to cry.
- 81 and above: You could try for a job with N.A.S.A., but they probably don't employ cheaps!

HORACE (ugly face) WATKINS

AFTER THE HORRORS OF THE NUCLEAR ATTACK ON HORACE HE WAS TRYING TO GET AWAY FROM IT ALL, BUT EVENTS WOULDN'T LET HIM...

STRANGE DISAPPEARANCES ARE BEING REPORTED IN THE VICINITY OF THE NUCLEAR EXPLOSION THAT MISSED FOOTBALLER HORACE WATKINS AND LANDED IN THE SEA. SEVERAL FISHING BOATS HAVE GONE MISSING...



HELLO O.K. MR. FERGUSON!

HORACE, GET DOWN TO GOLD TRAFFORD! I'VE LANDED A PRESS CONFERENCE!

WE'D LIKE TO CLEAR UP A FEW QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE REGARDING THE NUCLEAR BOMB INCIDENT, SO FIRE AWAY!

PRESS CONFERENCE? ... STILL, IF RONALD REAGAN CAN DO IT, ANYONE CAN!

WILL DO!



MARY RICH - THE BUN! HORACE, IS THERE ANY TRUTH IN THE RUMOUR ABOUT YOU AND LADY DI?

ALEX FISH - THE STARD! IT'S BEEN SAID YOU COMPARE YOURSELF TO GEORGE BEST!

PETER POTT'S - THE TIMES! ONE FOR YOU, FERGIE... WILL YOU BE KEEPING WORKING FOR THE K.G.B. WATKINS ON AT UNITED? HE'S UGLY AND COURTS TROUBLE!

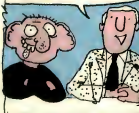
WILL YOU BE KEEPING WORKING FOR THE K.G.B. WATKINS ON AT UNITED? HE'S UGLY AND COURTS TROUBLE!



OF COURSE! AND HERE'S A BIT OF NEWS FOR YOU... HORACE PLAYS FOR THE FIRST TEAM ON SATURDAY!

THE FIRST TEAM! OH, WOW! WOW!

A HUNDRED MILES FROM THE CONFERENCE A SINISTER RADIO-ACTIVE FIGURE SLID TOWARDS A SLEEPING CRUISE SHIP...



TO BE CONTINUED!!!

Best wishes Horace Watkins xx



Time to meet the GBH CARE CLUBS!



I'M COST-A-LOT CLUB.
I'M HERE TO REMIND YOUR
PARENTS HOW MUCH THIS
GROTTY OL' GBH TOY COSTS!



HII! I'M SQUABBLE CLUB.
I'M ALWAYS HERE WHEN
YOU FALL OUT WITH
YOUR BEST FRIEND.



I'M NAUSEA
CLUB. I'LL MAKE
YOU SICK WITH
MY SICKLY
SWEET CUTENESS
AND HAPPY
MORAL TALES.

I'M U.S. OF A CLUB. IF
I HAD MY WAY YOU'D BE
SINGING THE STAR
SPANGLED BANNER
EACH MORNING. ALL
OF US COMMERCIAL
CHARACTERS COME FROM
GBH AMERICA, DOESN'T
THAT MAKE YOU HAPPY?

PLEASE SEND ME.....
CARE CLUBS. I WOULD
ALSO LIKE SHAKE-
CARE CLUB TO COME TO
MY HOUSE AND SHARE
ALL MUMMYS AND
DADDY'S VALUABLES
NAME.....
ADDRESS.....
TYPE OF DOOR LOCK.....

ORDER NOW
IF YOU CARE ABOUT
YOUR HEALTH!

SEND \$1.00Z
PER CLUB TO
GBH CARING
CO., CGBH
CLUBS,
TRUMPING,
DAMVIDE.



I'M MERCHANDISE
CLUB. I REPRESENT
THE MAGS, FILMS
AND ACCESSORIES
GBH PRODUCES TO
BLEED YOU DRY.



HARRY THE HEAD!

COME HERE! YOU LOOK
DELIGHTFUL!

SWOON!

THIS IS
TOO GOOD
TO BE TRUE!

LET'S GO TO THE PICTURES,
BARNEY!

GROAN! I WISH I HAD
A GIRL-FRIEND... I
FEEL SO LONELY THESE DAYS!

THERE'S NOTHING LIKE
A DELICIOUS WATERMELON!

AAGH! IT'S
SHORT-
SIGHTED MRS.
SIEVEY!

THEN...

HALT!

OH! WHAT A BEAUTY!

GASP! A FEMALE'S VOICE-SHE'S
TALKING ABOUT ME!

SHRIEK! ARREST THAT
WATERMELON, OFFICER!

I DON'T WORRY, HARRY...
SHE'S BANANAS!

YEAH! A PROPER
FRUIT-CAKE!

ZOOTOWN

LOOK OUT! HERE
COMES MY RICH,
BIG-HEADED COUSIN
FROM DALLAS!

HOWDY,
Y'ALL!

Greedy Gorb in Cowpat County



THE BUMB CRASSWORD

READERS' PUZZLE SECTION

CRYPTIC CLUES

DOWN

2. Anagram of 'd'do' (3)
3. Jumbled garden was told off (6)
4. A sharp look or stare (5)
5. N (1)
6. A sharp look or stare (5)
7. Grr (3)
8. Anagram of 'owl' (2)
9. Backward yh sounds like it's raised (2)
10. Oyd (3)

ACROSS

1. Hounds (6)
2. That dog (3)
3. A letter of the alphabet; sounds like a chicken (1)
4. A sharp look or stare (5)
5. N (1)
6. A sharp look or stare (5)
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LETTERBOARD

How many words of one letter or more can you make using the grid opposite. You may use each letter more than once.

A	B	C	D	E
G	H	I	J	K
L	M	N	O	P
Q	R	S	T	U
V	W	X	Y	Z

RATING: 4 words or less: Fair; 5-10 words: Very good; 11 or more: Excellent;

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION: A CAR, CABBAGE, PHOTOSYNTHESIS, REQUIEM, ABACUS, DENT, AT, YES, VAGRANT, PENCIL, HEDGEHOG, JEST, QUART, RAT, RATE, DARK, THE, (CONTINUED IN THE OXFORD DICTIONARY).

FISHY BUSINESS

Three anglers, Brian, Dave, and John have got their fishing lines tangled! Can you tell who has caught which fish?



BUMB WORD

How many turns does it take you to turn BOY into TOY, changing one letter at a time?

BOY

TOY

ANSWER:

BOY, BAY, BAD, DAD, DAY, SAY, SAG, BAG, BOG, DOG, DIG, JIG, JOG, JOT, TOT, TOG, TAG, LAG, LOG, LOT, COT, COY, TOY.

Did you do better? If you didn't you're too clever by half, clever clags.

BILLY BANG

HE EXPLODES WITH RAGE WHEN HE'S REALLY ANGRY!

BILLY'S DAD WAS TEACHING HIM TO PLAY GOLF...

SON, YOU'RE HOLDING IT WRONG!



BUT I TOLD YOU...

ERR, THERE'S SOMETHING WRONG WITH THE BALL!

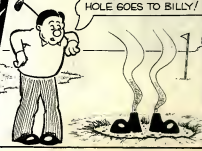


THERE-LIKE THIS.

BILLY RAN OUT OF PATIENCE...



LOOKS AS IF THE FIRST HOLE GOES TO BILLY!



MEANTIME, AT THE TOSHOP...



PLOP SHOP BOYS!



GREAT MOMENTS IN ART. PART 7. OINK! CARTOONIST TONY HUSBAND AT WORK!



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Name _____

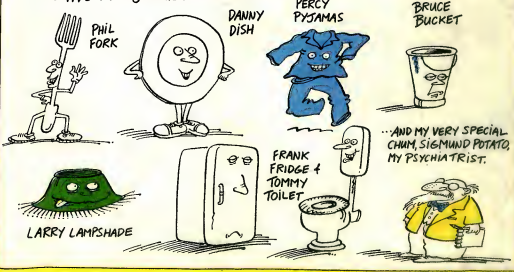
Address _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____

CUT OUT THIS COUPON AND HAND IT TO YOUR NEWSAGENT.

Haldane's **INCREDIBLE, AMAZING** BIZZAR (TSK, TSK, NOT SPELLING!) **WORLD!..**

Today I'd like to introduce you to some of my bizarre friends who live in my house.....



OINK'S

SPORTS FOR SWINES

Number Five: Hammer-Throwing

(or the Highland Fling)



SEPTEMBER

Mon	6	12	19	26	
Tue	6	13	20	27	
Wed	7	14	21	28	
Thur	1	8	15	22	29
Fri	2	9	16	23	30
Sat	3	10	17	24	
Sun	4	11	18	25	

OCTOBER

Mon	3	10	17	24	31
Tue	4	11	18	25	
Wed	6	12	19	26	
Thur	6	13	20	27	
Fri	7	14	21	28	
Sat	1	8	15	22	29
Sun	2	9	16	23	30